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Inspection Report

Minerals Regulatory Program

Report Date: September 29, 2006

Supervisor

[Signature]

Mine Name: Walker iron Mine Placer
Operator Name: Fiddlers Canyon Development LTD
Frank Nichols
2045 North Main Street
Cedar City, Utah 84770

Permit number: S/021/038
Date: September 15, 2006
Time: 6:50 AM

Inspector(s): Doug Jensen
Other Participants: None
Mine Status: Active

Weather: Cool, Windy

Elements of Inspection

1. Permits, Revisions, Transfer, Bonds
2. Public Safety (shafts, adits, trash, signs, highwalls)
3. Protection of Drainages / Erosion Control
4. Deleterious Material
5. Roads (maintenance, surfacing, dust control, safety)
6. Concurrent Reclamation
7. Backfilling/Grading (trenches, pits, roads, highwalls, shafts, drill holes)
8. Water Impoundments
9. Soils
10. Revegetation
11. Air Quality
12. Other

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Purpose of Inspection:

Inspected the site while I was in the area.

Directions to Site:

See previous inspection report.

Inspection Summary:

The site remains much the same as when I inspected it on October 27, 2005. Because the operator is working the face of a large dump, development of additional acreage will be a slow process. There were no stability concerns noted during this visit. Pictures of the site were taken and are included in this report.

Conclusions and Recommendations:

I will continue to monitor the site when I am in the area.

Inspector's Signature

[Signature: Doug Jensen]

Date:

9/29/06

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cc: Fiddlers Canyon Development LTD

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